

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: Robert Krupczak
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ATTORNEY DOCKET No.: 019287-0317331
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EXAMINER: Ranodhi N. Serrao
FOR: SYSTEM AND APPARATUS FOR DISTRIBUTED SYSTEMS
MANAGEMENT

**Response and Amendment Accompanying
Request for Continued Examination**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **May 24, 2007**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page **2** of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page **3** of this paper.

Remarks begin on **16** of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 033975 (**Ref. No. 019287-0317331**).